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Applicants hereby petition for the Suspension of Action in the above-identified patent application.

The Suspension of Action is requested for the time period of three (3) months in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). Filed concurrently herewith is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. A copy of the Request for Continued Examination is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) fee of \$130.00 to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, Deposit Account No. 11-0600. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees and credit any overpayment in connection with this communication to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, No. 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed herewith.

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